

105,1172 DT/Sylvester

New Brunswick, N. J.
September 29th, 1926.

Re: Nellie Lo Russell.

Timothy Newell Pfeiffer, Esq.,
120 Broadway,
New York City.

Dear Sir:-

At Mr. Palzer's request I interviewed John Sylvester at his farm on the Lincoln Highway, Franklin Township, just beyond the Voorhees Depot.

I questioned him in regard to Mrs. Gibson. He says he has ~~never~~ never met her nor does he know anything concerning her. Kikewise he knows nothing concerning the murder.

He says that about four years ago, some lawyers from New York, whom he believes represented Mrs. Hall, called upon him and asked him what he knew about Nellie LO Russell? He said the he informed them that he had known her for quite a long period and that he knew her to be honest and trustworthy. That he had talked with the woman and had dealings with her. He considered her of the higher type of negro and one who would tell the truth.

He claims that is all he knows about the matter.

Respectfully submitted,

David Thompson.